

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

David K. KOVALIC *et al.*

Art Unit: 1631

Appl. No. 10/767,701

Examiner: Shubo Zhou

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For: Recombinant Polypeptides Associated with Plants

**Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

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Sir:

It is hereby requested that the period for responding to the outstanding Office Action be extended four months from July 25, 2007 to November 26, 2007 (November 25, 2007 being a Sunday) by the filing of this Petition and fee payment.

Authorization to charge the official fees for this filing is given in the accompanying transmittal letter.

Respectfully submitted,

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